

FINAL APPROVED

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE
INFORMAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Tuesday, January 23, 2007	Holiday Inn Select	Fredericksburg, Virginia
CALL TO ORDER:	A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 9:30 a.m.	
MEMBERS PRESENT:	Jane E. Piness, M.D., Chair Patrick Clougherty, M.D. General Clara Adams-Ender, R.N.	
STAFF PRESENT:	Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline Reneè S. Dixon, Discipline Case Manager Nancy L. Walsh, Adjudication Specialist	
OTHERS PRESENT:	Laura McCants (<i>on behalf of Dr. McCants</i>)	
MATTER SCHEDULED:	Odell McCants, M.D. License No.: 0101-022991 Case No.: 100697	
DISCUSSION:	Dr. McCants appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated November 28, 2006. Dr. McCants was represented by Anne M. Glenn, Esquire. The Committee fully discussed the allegation in the Notice with Dr. McCants.	
CLOSED SESSION:	Upon a motion by Dr. Clougherty, and duly seconded by Gen. Adams-Ender, the Committee voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711.A(28) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Dr. McCants. Additionally, he moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Dixon attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.	
RECONVENE:	Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.	

DECISION: Upon a motion by Gen. Adams-Ender, and duly seconded by Dr. Clougherty, the Committee made certain Findings of Fact Conclusions of Law and voted to issue Dr. McCants a reprimand.

VOTE: The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT: The Committee adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on Dr. McCants, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against him is received from Dr. McCants within such time. If service of the Order is made by mail three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.

/s/ _____
Jane E. Piness, M.D., Chair

/s/ _____
William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director

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CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 12:50 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Patrick Clougherty, M.D., Chair
Jane E. Piness, M.D.
General Clara Adams-Ender, R.N.

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline
Reneè S. Dixon, Discipline Case Manager
Nancy L. Walsh, Adjudication Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT: Paul Boccone (*on behalf of Dr. Fasano*)

MATTER SCHEDULED: Anthony M. Fasano, D.O. License No.: 0102-030721
Case No.: 100916

DISCUSSION: Dr. Fasano appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated November 28, 2006. Dr. Fasano was not represented by counsel. The Committee fully discussed the allegation in the Notice with Dr. Fasano.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Dr. Piness, and duly seconded by Gen. Adams-Ender, the Committee voted to convene a closed meeting

pursuant to §2.2-3711.A(28) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Dr. Fasano. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Dixon attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

RECONVENE:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Piness, and duly seconded by Gen. Adams-Ender, the Committee made certain Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and voted to place the license of Dr. Fasano on indefinite probation subject to certain terms and conditions.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 5:03 p.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on Dr. Fasano, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against him is received from Dr . Fasano within such time. If service of the Order is made by mail three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.

/s/ _____
Patrick Clougherty, M.D., Chair

/s/ _____
William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director

2/24/2007
Date

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Date